

21 October 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. DULLES

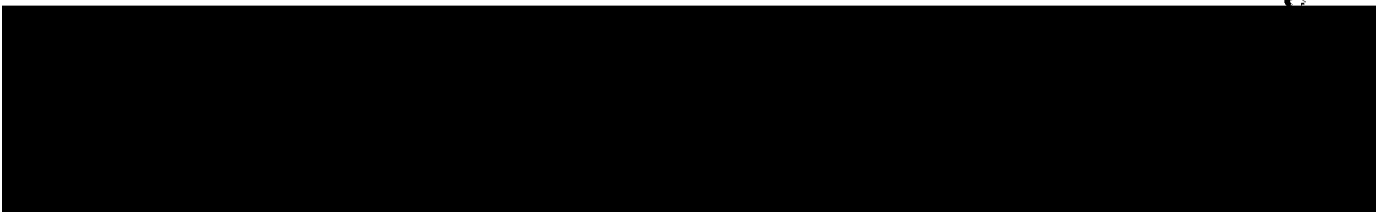
Item 1. Disposition of PSB Papers.

The list of all extant PSB papers is at Tab 1. It divides these papers into 2 categories, those which should be dropped and those which should be given further study. Your concurrence in this list is recommended. Mr. [REDACTED] points out that you might appropriately raise the general question of the binding force of PSB and OCB papers in view of the new status of the OCB as an executive rather than a policy making body.

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Item 2. Christmas-East.



Item 3. Other Business.

It is likely that General Smith will raise the question of the creation of the position of Executive Officer of the OCB. Mr. Houston suggests that this be done through a letter from the President to you asking you to set up such a position. Mr. Houston's memorandum and draft of such a letter are attached at Tab 4.

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Mr. Jackson had requested that a paper (PSB D-44) on the intensified use of [REDACTED] facilities for psychological operations be considered at today's meeting. Because of the complexities of this question, however, it was agreed to defer consideration to the meeting of October 28. A copy of the paper in question is attached at Tab 5.

Paper re-
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meeting
of Nov. 4.